

Anna Cowdrey Recipient Of Honors Award at USC

... Ann Landers

(Continued From Page 11) me. And thank you for writing.

Dear Ann Landers: I have been a widow for 10 years. The man next door lost his wife about a year ago. Our relationship was always a pleasant one. A few months ago this man began to show an interest in me. He began by inviting me to an art exhibit, along with his sister and brother-in-law. We had a delightful evening.

He invited me to other affairs after that, usually with his sister and brother-in-law along, but sometimes alone. I got the definite impression that his fondness for me was increasing and that he would ask me to marry him. I would have said yes.

Suddenly he stopped calling and it was as if he had dropped off the planet. I thought perhaps he might be ill, so I called him. He said, bluntly, "My sister felt I was becoming too interested in you and that people were talking. I thought it best to terminate the relationship."

I am heartsick. What do you suggest?—M.R.T.

Dear M.R.T.: A man who could be so easily influenced by his sister is no red-hot bargain. You've lost nothing, believe me.

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Hope Chapter Meets June 5

Torrance Chapter City of Hope will meet Wednesday, June 5, at 1 p.m. at the home of the president, Mrs. Bert Lynn, 1208 Greenwood Ave. Guests are welcome. Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Lynn.

Miss Anna Cowdrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas J. Cowdrey, 1521 W. 213th St., Torrance, and a senior at Narbonne High School has been informed that she has been selected to receive an Award of Honors entrance by the University of Southern California.

This is an honor due to her scholastic record. Last year the award was made to 127 students out of a class of 1200. Anna will receive a certificate at the New Student Convocation in early fall.

The student has been awarded a State and Alumni scholarship to USC. She leads her class with 4.22 average.

A member of the California Scholarship Federation for three years, she will be a seal bearer at graduation; is one of seven students of the 1963 class selected to lifetime membership in the Ephebian Society; a member of Jane Addams; participated in Occi-



ANNA COWDREY ... Has Highest Average dental Math Field Day and other school activities. At the University, Miss Cowdrey's major will be mathematics.

Wesleyan Service Guild Installs New Officers

Mrs. Irene Steele was installed president of the Wesleyan Service Guild on Tuesday evening, May 21, at a dinner meeting at the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Gilbert Zimmerman, wife of the pastor, was the installing officer. Installation was held in the Friendship room, decorated with floral arrangements.

In a candlelighting service, Mrs. Zimmerman installed Miss Molly Marshall, vice president; Miss Pauline Greer, recording secretary; Mrs. Chelcia Shelby, treasurer; Mrs. Ethel Hutchison, promotion secretary; Mrs. Sara Hogue, coordinator; Mrs. Catherine Baker, spiritual life.

Others were Mmes. Trudy Campbell, membership; Peggy Jones, supply work; Odell Lewis, publicity; Virginia Sloat, literature; Betty Harrison, local church activities;

Clina Holland, historian; Lois Sluga, missionary education; Marion Gunter, Christian social relations; Dorothy Goldsmith and Olive Marshall, hostesses; Lenora Gray, sunshine.

On the nominating committee were Mmes. Beulah Strom, Leona Eads and Doris Tanner. Mrs. Leona Eads, in the absence of Mrs. Chelcia Shelby, presented Mrs. Trudie Campbell, outgoing president, with a lifetime membership pin.

This organization is made up of working women. Any employed woman wishing to join the group is invited to call Mrs. Trudie Campbell, 2276 Eldorado Ave.

Holiday Guest

Spending the holiday and the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Apsey, 5306 Halison is an old friend, Mr. Ray Page of Kinsington, Conn.



FOR FUTURE TEACHERS ... Meadow Park PTA for the first time awarded two \$100 scholarships to students planning teaching careers. Here, D. Boone Kirks, principal at Meadow Park, presents the scholarships to Rebecca Tapia, Meadow Park graduate, who will be graduated this year from North High school, and John Balow, standing in for his sister, Rosemary Balow, who is now attending San Jose State. Rosemary, a graduate of Meadow Park and South High, also received last year's scholarship. (Herald Photo)

Douglass Family Holds Reunion at Local Park

Children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of the late Luther Douglass of Lompoc, met Sunday, May 26, at Torrance Park for a picnic and family reunion.

Attending from Torrance were Misses Helen and Eileen Douglass, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alexander, Kathy, Terri, Karen, Sharon and Dan; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Douglass, Lori, Joyce, Joanne and Marilyn.

From out-of-town were Messrs. and Mmes. A. C. (Bud) Douglass, Lakewood; Jim Douglass and Karen, Orange; Bob Gorham, Carpinteria; Howard Sperber, Lompoc; Ed Sperber, Susan and Scott, Lompoc; Al Greenleaf, Kerri, Kristy, Kenny and Kathy Redondo Beach.

Others were Messrs. and Mmes. Myron Douglass, Roger, Danny, and Steve; Lawrence Douglass and Deana, Long Beach; Bill Temple, Linda, Debbie, and Greg of Rialto; Enoch Fratis, Santa Barbara; Dick Watkins, North Hollywood; Don Douglass and Barbara, Lomita.

Also Mrs. Betty Watkins, North Hollywood; Marvin Douglass, Sr., Lompoc; Mrs. Chuck Shapiro, Mike and Jeff of Santa Barbara.

The late Luther Douglass was a native of Lompoc Valley and was the father of nine

Soroptimist to Meet Tuesday

Palos Verdes-Redondo Soroptimist Club will meet Tuesday at noon at the Plush Horse Restaurant. Guest artist will be Lucia Musa who will entertain with poetry and prose. Miss Musa has received commendations for her readings from Booth Memorial Home in Los Angeles and from the American Legion.

South Sea Food, Fun

Gardena Emblem Club Schedules Island Luau

Magic of the South Seas will prevail when the Gardena Emblem Club stages a luau on Saturday evening, June 8, at the Elks' hall, 1735 W. 162nd St., Gardena.

At 7 p.m. a buffet dinner will be served polynesian style. There will be door prizes, sword dancers and hula girls for the entertainment of guests. After the dinner, Charley Hicks and his Hawaiians will furnish dance music.

A hula contest will be a highlight of the evening and prizes will be awarded for the most original costumes for both men and women.

Decorations, carrying out the South Sea Island theme,

will be provided by Mmes. Ronald Mytys, Donald Slemmons and Edward Miller.

Mrs. James Downey or Mrs. James Colella may be called for tickets.

Mrs. Richard Keenan, president, urges all members to attend the business meeting slated for June 6. No meeting will be held in July but will be resumed in August.

Houseguest

Mrs. Keith Kroph of Tacoma, Wash., will leave today for her home after spending a week here with her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Haire, 2713 225th St.

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ARLINGTON
Arlington PTA held its final meeting for this school year in the school cafeteria Thursday night, May 16.

Reports were given by Mrs. Robert Jones on the recently held Health Symposium and Mrs. William Best on Arlington PTA's own library. The historian's report was compiled and read by Mrs. Calvin Rasmusen. A resume of the State Convention was presented by incoming president, Mrs. Kenneth Lemke.

A very impressive and beautiful installation of the officers for 1963-64 was conducted by Mrs. George Foster, mother of the new president, Mrs. Lemke. Mrs. Foster is a past president of both a unit and a council. She made and presented corsages to each new officer and to the outgoing president. The new officers installed were Mrs. Kenneth Lemke, president; Mrs. Richard Bird, Henry Behrens, Mrs. Robert Diener, Mrs. Joseph Little, and Mrs. Wilbur Harmon, vice presidents; Mrs. Allan Richardson and Mrs. Philip Aurit, secretaries; Mrs. James Shimizu, treasurer; Mrs. Wayne Pearson, auditor; and Mrs. Robert Jones, historian.

Mrs. Philip Aurit presented the program: two selection were given by the Arlington Girls Chorus and speaker, Don Porter, from National Parks Headquarters. Following his talk, Mr. Porter showed an interesting and informative sound and color film on how to use and care for our parks.

EDISON

Edison PTA held its regular association meeting May 15 in the school cafeteria. "Proof of the Pudding," the theme for the evening was proven by the many things Edison PTA has accomplished as narrated by Historian, Mrs. Maurie Bruner, when she gave her yearly report to the association.

The following officers were installed by Mrs. William Cassida: president, Mrs. Art Lester; vice presidents, Mrs. Gabriel Lensing, Mrs. Sally Yancy and Mrs. Maurie Bruner; secretaries, Mrs. Raymond Huggard and Mrs. Stanley Saunders; treasurer, Mrs. Paul Heronime; auditor, Mrs. John Watkins; parliamentarian, Mrs. William Cassida, and historian, Mrs. John Bauer.

Speaker for the evening was Lee Briedenfelt from the Torrance Recreation Department. He showed slides of the different parks and facilities and handed out booklets to the audience telling of activities for the summer in the Torrance parks and playgrounds.

The following motions were carried by the association: That four summer movies be shown at Edison school cafeteria during the summer; that carnival be held in the fall; and that the association purchase magazines for the principal, president and magazine chairman.

FERN-GREENWOOD

Fern-Greenwood PTA held its annual Teachers' Luncheon recently at the home of Mrs. Bert Lynn. The menu and decorations followed an Hawaiian theme. Mrs. Bob Waters, hospitality chairman, was in charge of the arrangements.

Miss Veda Knoll, first grade teacher at Fern-Greenwood, was specially honored at the luncheon. Miss Knoll plans to retire in June after teaching in the Torrance Unified School District since its organization. The PTA Executive Board presented Miss Knoll with a piece of luggage as a farewell gift.

MAGRUDER

With El Nido Park as the backdrop, the Magruder PTA will hold its annual picnic June 8, beginning at 11 a.m. "Fun Fare ... Family Picnic" will feature games and prizes for all with coffee, punch and popcorn furnished by the PTA.

A potluck dinner (anyone wishing to bring a sack lunch may do so) will be served at noon with the outgoing executive board acting as hostesses. Special guests will be the faculty and staff of Magruder. All families in the Magruder area are cordially invited to attend.

A board meeting is set for June 6 at the home of Mrs.

Herman Redmerski, president, to ratify chairmen and make tentative plans for the coming year.

HOWARD WOOD

Meeting of the 1963-64 Howard Wood PTA executive board was called to order by Mrs. James A. Davis, president, on May 21, at the home of retiring president, Mrs. Joe Ankerberg. The board ratified appointment of Mrs. Ankerberg as parliamentarian, as well as the following chairmen:

Mmes. Wallace Bethune, art; Richard Clutter, character and spiritual; William Brown, child health; William Austin, courtesy; Joe Ankerberg, founders' day and honorary life; Joseph Lopez, hospitality; Irving Dock, co-chairman, hospitality; Ed Fives, international relations; James P. Wright, library; Robert Stewart, magazines and emblems; Robert Berry, newsletter; Lee Daggett, publicity and record book; Richard Reinhardt, registrar; Bernard Lassere, room representative; Edward Carroll, welfare; Dean Salazar, girls' youth; Messrs. Dean Salazar, boys' youth, and James A. Davis, legislation. Donald Mullaney, school principal, will serve on the board as faculty adviser.

JEFFERSON

Jefferson PTA held its final meeting of the school year May 15 in the school cafeteria. A program by the school band was presented under the direction of John R. Duca.

Members of the PTA board were given their symbols of office. Installed April 25, they are Mmes. Raymond Weiler, president; Kenneth Veldheer, Paul Mowery, Charles O'Hara; vice presidents; Joe Chastka, recording secretary; William Marrow, corresponding secretary; Steve Haston, treasurer; Robert Soladay, auditor and parliamentarian; and Gus Cochran, historian.

Chairman appointed were Mmes. Henry Carlson, Founder's Day and honorary life; J. A. Smith, hospitality; Pete Sandowick, inspirational; L. A. Ensminger, library; Jack Diamond, music; Earl Paly, newswrite; Stephen Sampson, parent education; Mario Falcone, publications and emblems; Milton C. Makoski, publicity; Robert Brown and Ernest Foote, recreation; Ervin Finlayson, record book; James Kelley and Al Russell, room representatives; Rod Twedel, safety; and Mr. Gus Cochrane, youth coordinator.

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223RD STREET

Mrs. Thomas E. Millard was installed president of the 223rd Street School PTA at its last meeting with Mrs. Eddie Grijalva as installing officer. Others taking office were Mmes. Edgar Formanek, John Bankard, Horace Sloan, vice presidents; Paul Danford, secretary; James O'Neil, treasurer; Jimmy Morris, financial secretary; Donald Lizotte, historian; Harold Burgener, parliamentarian; and Mr. John Higgins, auditor.

Mrs. Thomas E. Millard was presented with her president's pin by Mrs. Harold Burgener, past president, who in turn received her past president's pin.

New spring fashions, made by PTA mothers, were modeled by mothers and children. Participating were Larie Bergener, Lin and Mitsey Leach, Dorothy Arlene Titus, Glna Louise and Anna Grijalva, Teresa Humphrey, Judy and Joyce Dossey, Sherrie Anderson, Mrs. Durell Ewing and Cindy; Celeste Trujillo, Kathy Nelson, Barbara Hoffman, and Mrs. P. H. Blair and Raymond, Donna and Ruthella.

Others were Mrs. Mary Ann Rodela, Karen and Lorraine Melinda and Liza Smith, Linda Cook, Teri Millard, Victoria and Rebecca Formanek, Katherine Goodbold, Kathy Marcus.

Faculty members appearing were Mrs. Beulah Dennis, nurse; Mrs. Ann Stanley W. dergarten; and Brenda Peck, second grade.

Hobbies were displayed by Cub Scout 775-C and Girl Scout Troop 74.

Sunday Crossword Puzzle

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IN THE MOOD ... Busy with plans for a festive Polynesian luau to be given by the Gardena Emblem Club on Saturday evening June 8 are these members, in their costumes, from left, Mmes. Richard Keenan, president, Ronald Mytys, decorations chairman, James Colella and James Downey, hostesses. The event will be held at the Elks Hall, 1735 W. 162nd St.

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